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Sir:

The U.S. National Phase was entered in the U.S. Designated/Elected Office May 19, 2006, for the above-identified application and the Declaration and Power of Attorney was filed May 19, 2006. Applicant has not received the Notice of Acceptance of Application under 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 CFR 1.495 and Filing Receipt and it would be appreciated if these documents could be issued for the above-identified application.

If no such action is taken it would be appreciated that applicant's undersigned attorney be advised in writing as to the current status of the above-identified application.

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